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DESIGNS FOR LADIES AND MEN IN LLAMA (LOOPED MOHAIR) AND MOHAIR (BRUSHED)

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Front Cover Design 1: Jacket (see this page).

Back Cover Design 7: (left) Cardigan (see page 11).

Design 8: (right) Fancy cabled sweater (see page 14).

NOTE: Every effort has been made to have the knitting instructions contained in this book accurate and complete. However, we cannot accept responsibility for variance of individual knitters or the use of yarn other than specified.

Abbreviations See page 15.

I Jacket

MATERIAL:

Mohair: 15, (16: 18) balls Llama: 14, (15: 17) balls

1 pr. No. 4 and 7 needles. 7 Buttons.

MEASUREMENTS:

Bust: 32, (36: 40) ins.

Length: $23, (23\frac{1}{2}: 24)$ ins.

Sleeves: 16 ins. (all sizes)

TENSION:

9 sts. to 2 ins.

ABBREVIATION:

Tw.2—K2 tog. t.b.l., then knit the first stitch t.b.l., slip both stitches off left needle.

PATTERN

1st row: K1, (Tw.2, K2) rep. to last

3 sts., Tw.2, K1.

2nd row: Purl.

3rd row: K1, (K2, Tw.2) rep. to last

3 sts., K3.

4th row: Purl.

Rep. these 4 rows inclusive.

BACK: Using No. 7 needles cast on 84, (92: 100) sts.

1st row: (K1, P1) rep. to end.

Rep. 1st row until 4 rows. Change to No. 4 needles and patt. inclusive. Cont. until work measures 14 ins. (or length required) ending on a purl row.

Shape Raglans: Decr. 1 stitch each end of next and every 2nd row until 52, (56: 60) sts. rem. then each end of every row until 24, (26: 26) sts. rem. Leave stitches on holder.

LEFT FRONT: Using No. 7 needles cast on 49, (53: 57) sts.

1st row: (K1, P1) rep. to last 3 sts., K3. 2nd row: K2, (P1, K1) rep. to last stitch, P1.

Rep. these 2 rows once. Change to No. 4 needles and work in patt. to the last 9 sts., slip these stitches onto holder for front border. Cont. on these 40, (44: 48) sts. until work measures 14 ins. (or length required) ending at side edge.

Shape Raglan: Decr. 1 stitch at beg. of next and every 2nd row 6 times.

Shape Neck and Raglan: On Front edge decr. 1 stitch every 4th row 8,

(9:9) times, at the same time, cont. raglan shaping every 2nd row 10, (12: 14) times more, then every row until 2 sts. rem. Work 2 tog. and fasten off.

RIGHT FRONT: Work as Left Front in reverse.

SLEEVES: Using No. 7 needles cast on 36, (40: 44) sts. and work in rib as Back for $2\frac{1}{2}$ ins. Change to No. 4 needles and patt. inclusive. Incr. 1 stitch each end of the 3rd and every 6th row thereafter until 54, (60: 66) sts. Cont. until sleeve measures 16 ins. (or length required) ending on a purl row. Shape Raglans: Decr. 1 stitch each end of next and every 2nd row until 8 sts. rem. Leave on holder.

TO MAKE UP: Press work on the wrong side. Using a small back stitch sew up the 4 raglan seams. Press seams.

LEFT FRONT BORDER: Transfer the 9 stitches to No. 7 needles and cont. in rib with garter stitch edge until border fits to neck shaping, slightly stretched. Incr. 1 stitch at inside edge on the next and every 3rd row 12 times. (21 sts.) Work 1 row. Leave stitches on holder. Flat sew border to front edge.

Mark 7 buttonhole positions on Left Front Border, the 1st one 1 inch from lower edge, the 7th at beg. of neck shaping, and evenly space 5 others between.

To Make Buttonhole:

Next row: K3, P1, cast off 2 sts., rib

Next row: Rib to last 4 sts., cast on 2 sts., K1, P1, K2.

RIGHT FRONT BORDER: Work to correspond with Left Front Border. with the addition of 7 buttonholes as marked on Left Front Border.

COLLAR: With right side of work facing, transfer the 21 sts. from Right Front border to No. 7 needles, 8 sts. from right sleeve, 24, (26: 26) sts. across back neck, 8 sts. from left sleeve and 21 sts. from Left Front border. (82: 84: 84 sts.).

Next row: With wrong side of work facing, K2, rib until 40, (41:41) sts. on needle, incr. 1 stitch, K2, incr. 1 stitch rib to last 2 sts., K2.

Next row: K2, rib until 41, (42: 42)

sts. on needle, P2, rib to last 2 sts., K2. Cont. as established and incr. 1 stitch each side of centre 2 knit stitches on every 4th row until 88, (90:90) sts. Cont. until Collar measures $4\frac{1}{2}$ ins. from back neck edge. Cast off loosely ribwise

TO FINISH OFF: Using a small back stitch sew up side and sleeve seams. Press seams. Sew on buttons. Lightly press Collar. If Jacket is made in Mohair brush on the right side if required.



2 Matching sweaters with crew or V neck

(Illustrated on page 5)

MATERIAL:

Mohair:

16, (17: 19: 20: 21: 22)

balls

Llama:

15, (16: 18: 19: 20: 21)

balls

1 pr. No. 6 and 9 needles. 1 ball less for V Neck Style.

MEASUREMENTS:

Bust/

Chest: 34, (36: 38: 40: 42: 44) ins. Length: $23\frac{1}{2}$, (24: 25: 27: 27: 27) ins. Sleeves: $16\frac{1}{2}$ ins. for Her; $18\frac{1}{2}$ ins. for Him.

TENSION:

5 sts. to 1 inch.

BACK: * Using No. 9 needles cast on 92, (98: 104: 110: 116: 120) sts. and work firmly in rib of K1, P1 for 3 ins. Change to No. 6 needles and stocking stitch. Cont. until work measures $15\frac{1}{2}$ ins. for Her and 17 ins. for Him (or length required) ending on a purl row.

Shape Armholes: Cast off at beg. of next and every row 2, (3:3:4:5:6) sts. twice, 2 sts. (all sizes) 4 times. Decr. 1 stitch each end of next and every 2nd row 3, (3: 3: 4: 5: 6) times. (74: 78: 84: 86: 88: 88 sts. rem.) *. Cont. until

armholes measure 5 ins. for Her, and 6 ins. for Him ending on a purl row. Incr. 1 stitch each end of the next and every 6th row until 80, (84:90:92:94:94) sts. Cont. until armholes measure 8, $(8\frac{1}{2}:9\frac{1}{2}:10:10:10)$ ins. ending on a purl row.

Shape Shoulders: Cast off at beg. of next and every row 4, (5: 7: 8: 8: 8) sts. twice, 7 sts. (all sizes) 6 times, 30, (32: 34: 34: 36: 36) sts. once.

FRONT:

CREW NECK STYLE: Work as Back until armhole measures 5 ins. for Her and 6 ins. for Him ending on a purl row.

Shape Neck: K30, (31: 33: 34: 34: 34) sts., cast off centre 14, (16: 18: 18: 20: 20) sts., knit to end. Cont. on last set of stitches and decr. 1 stitch at neck edge on the next 3 rows, then every 2nd row 5 times, at the same time, incr. 1 stitch on armhole edge every 6th row 3 times. Cont. until armhole measures same as Back ending at armhole edge.

Shape Shoulder: Cast off at beg. of next and alt. rows 4, (5: 7: 8: 8: 8) sts. once, 7 sts. (all sizes) 3 times. Ret. to rem. stitches, join in yarn at neck edge and finish to correspond with other side in reverse.

V NECK STYLE: Work as Back from * to * ending on a purl row. K34, (36: 39: 40: 41: 41) sts., K2 tog., Kl., turn, purl to end. (Leave rem. 37, (39: 42: 43: 44: 44) sts. on holder.) Decr. 1 stitch on neck edge on the next and every 2nd row 15, (16: 17: 17: 18: 18) times altog. At the same time, when armhole measures 5 ins. for Her and 6 ins. for Him incr. 1 stitch at armhole edge on next and every 6th row 3 times. Cont. until armhole measures same as Back ending at armhole edge. Shape Shoulder as on Crew Neck Style. Ret. to rem. stitches, join in yarn at neck edge and finish to correspond with other side in reverse, with K1, sl. 1, K1, p.s.s.o., on neck shaping.

SLEEVES: Using No. 9 needles cast on 42, (44: 50: 50: 50: 50) sts. and work in rib of K1, P1 for 3 ins., and evenly incr. 4 sts. on the last row. (46: 48: 54: 54: 54: 54 sts.). Change to No. 6

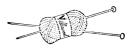
needles and stocking stitch. Incr. 1 stitch each end of 3rd and every 5th row (all sizes) thereafter, until 76, (78: 86: 90: 92: 92) sts. Cont. until sleeve measures $16\frac{1}{2}$ ins. for Her and $18\frac{1}{2}$ ins. for Him (or length required) ending on a purl row. Cast off at beg. of next and every row 4 sts. twice, 1 stitch 2, (2: 4: 4: 6: 6) times, 2 sts. 16, (16: 18: 20: 20: 20) times, 3 sts. (all sizes) 8 times, 10, (12: 14: 14: 14: 14) sts. once.

TO MAKE UP: Press work on the wrong side. Using a small back stitch sew up right shoulder seam. Press seam.

CREW NECK BAND: With right side of work facing, using No. 9 needles, pick up and knit 24, (25: 26: 27: 27: 27) sts. on left side of neck, 14, (16: 18: 18: 20: 20) sts. on centre front, 24, (25: 26: 27: 27: 27) sts. on right side of neck, 30, (32: 34: 34: 36: 36) sts. across back neck. (92: 98: 104: 106: 110: 110 sts.). Work in rib of K1, P1 for $2\frac{1}{4}$ ins. Cast off loosely ribwise.

V NECK BAND: With right side of work facing, using No. 9 needles, pick up and knit 42, (44: 46: 50: 50: 50) sts. on each side of V neck, 30, (32: 34: 34: 36: 36) sts. across back neck. (114: 120: 126: 134: 136: 136 sts.). Work in rib of K1, P1, and decr. 1 stitch each side of V on every row for $1\frac{1}{4}$ ins. Work 1 row without shaping, then incr. 1 stitch each side of V on every row for $1\frac{1}{4}$ ins. Cast off loosely ribwise.

TO FINISH OFF: Sew up shoulder and neck band ends. Press seams. Sew up side and sleeve seams. Press seams. Fold neck bands in half to inside and loosely slip stitch down.



3 Sweater (Illustrated on page 8)

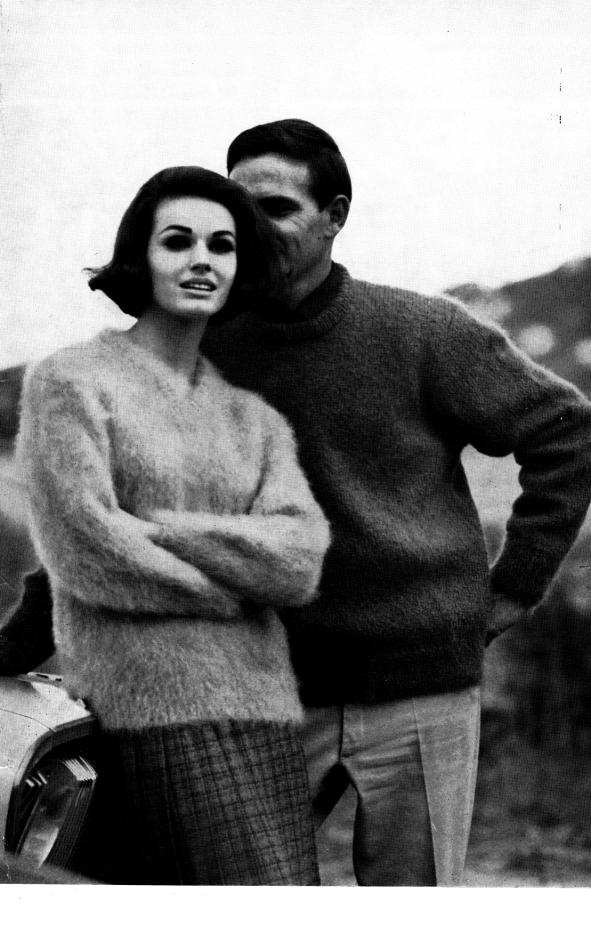
MATERIAL:

Mohair—

Main Colour (M.C.): 13, (14: 15: 16)

balls

First Contrast (F.C.): 2, (2:2:2)balls Second Contrast (S.C.): 1, (1:1:1) ball



2 Matching sweaters with crew or V neck (See page 3)

Llama—

Main Colour (M.C.): 12, (13: 14: 15)

balls

First Contrast (F.C.): 2, (2: 2: 2) balls Second Contrast (S.C.): 1, (1:1:1) ball 1 pr. No. 6 and 9 needles.

MEASUREMENTS:

Bust:

32, (34: 36: 38) ins.

Length:

 $23\frac{1}{2}$ ins. (all sizes)

Sleeves:

 $17\frac{1}{4}$ ins. (all sizes)

TENSION:

5 sts. to 1 inch.

BACK: * Using No. 9 needles and M.C. cast on 85, (91:95:101) sts.

1st row: K1, (P1, K1) rep. to end. 2nd row: P1, (K1, P1) rep. to end.

Rep. these 2 rows working firmly until $2\frac{1}{4}$ ins. ending on the 2nd row. Change to No. 6 needles, F.C. and stocking stitch. Work 10 rows in F.C., 4 rows in S.C., then cont. in M.C. only. Cont. until work measures 17 ins. (this allows for the 1 inch hem, work more or less as required) ending on a purl row. *

Shape Armholes: Cast off 2, (3:4:5) sts. at beg. of the next 2 rows. Decr. 1 stitch each end of every 2nd row 4, (5: 5: 6) times, and 73, (75: 77: 79) sts. rem. Cont. until armholes measure $7\frac{3}{4}$ ins. on the straight ending on a purl row.

Shape Shoulder and Neck:

Next row: Cast off 5 sts., K24 sts., cast off centre 15, (17: 19: 21) sts., K29 sts.

Cont. on last 29 sts. Shape Shoulder by casting off at beg. of next and alt. rows 5 sts. twice, 6 sts. twice, at the same time cast off on neck edge at beg. of every 2nd row 4 sts. once, 3 sts. once. Ret. to rem. 24 sts., join in yarn at neck edge and finish to correspond with other side in reverse.

FRONT: Work as Back from * to *. Shape Armhole and Divide for V Neck: Next row: Cast off 2, (3:4:5) sts., knit until 38, (40:41:43) sts. on needle, K2 tog., turn. Leave rem. stitches aside. Cont. for left side of V Neck. Shape armhole by decr. 1 stitch every 2nd row 4, (5:5:6) times, at the same time, shape neck edge by decr. 1 stitch every 2nd row 8, (10:12:14) times altog., then, every 3rd row 6, (5:4:3) times. Keeping neck edge straight cont. on rem. 22 sts. (all sizes) until armhole measures $7\frac{3}{4}$ ins. on the straight, ending at armhole edge.

Shape Shoulder: Cast off at beg. of next and alt. rows 5 sts. twice, 6 sts., twice. Ret. to rem. stitches, slip the 1st stitch on to a holder, join in yarn and finish to correspond with other side in reverse.

SLEEVES: Using No. 9 needles and M.C. cast on 48, (50: 52: 54) sts. and work firmly in rib of K1, P1 for $2\frac{1}{4}$ ins. Change to No. 6 needles, F.C. and stocking stitch. Work 10 rows in F.C., 4 rows in S.C. Change to M.C. and incr. 1 stitch each end of the next and every 8th row until 70, (72: 74: 76) sts. Cont. until work measures 181 ins. (this allows for the 1 inch hem, work more or less as required) ending on a purl row. Cast off at beg. of next and every row 2, (3:4:5) sts. twice, all sizes 2 sts. 22 times, 3 sts. twice, 16 sts. once.

TO MAKE UP: Press work on the wrong side. Using a small back stitch sew up right shoulder seam. Press seam.

NECK BAND: Using No. 6 needles and M.C. pick up and knit 50 sts. down left side of neck, K1 from holder, pick up and knit 50 sts. on right side of neck, 46, (48: 50: 52) sts. across back neck, (147: 149: 151: 153 sts.)

Change to No. 9 needles.

1st row: P1, (K1, P1) rep. to end.

2nd row: (K1, P1) rep. to within 3 sts. of centre 1 stitch, K3 tog. through back of loops, K1, K3 tog., (P1, K1) rep. to

Rep. these 2 rows until $1\frac{1}{4}$ ins. ending on the 2nd row.

Next row: As 1st row.

Cont. in rib for $1\frac{1}{4}$ ins. and incr. 1 stitch each side of centre 1 stitch every row. Cast off loosely ribwise.

TO FINISH OFF: Sew up shoulder and neck band ends. Press seam. Sew up side and sleeve seams. Press seams. Set in sleeves smoothly. Fold all ribbing in half to inside and slip stitch down.



4 Ragian style sweater

(Illustrated on page 9)

MATERIAL:

Mohair:

17, (18: 19: 20) balls

Llama:

16, (17: 18: 19) balls

1 pr. No. 6, 7, 8 and 9 needles.

MEASUREMENTS:

Bust:

32, (34: 36: 38) ins.

Length:

 $23\frac{1}{2}$, $(24: 24\frac{1}{2}: 25)$ ins.

Sleeves:

17 ins. (all sizes)

TENSION:

5 sts. to 1 inch.

BACK: Using No. 7 needles cast on 90, (96: 102: 108) sts. and work in stocking stitch. Work $2\frac{1}{2}$ ins. and change to No. 6 needles. Cont. until work measures 16 ins. (or length required) ending on a purl row.

Shape Raglans: Cast off 4 sts. (all sizes) at beg. of the next 2 rows. Decr. 1 stitch each end of the next and every 2nd row until 32, (34: 36: 38) sts. rem. Cast off loosely on the next row.

FRONT: Work as Back until 52, (54: 56: 58) sts. rem. in raglan shaping ending on a knit row.

Shape for Neck:

Next row: P15 (all sizes), cast off centre 22, (24: 26: 28) sts., P15 (all sizes).

Cont. on last 15 sts. and decr. 1 stitch on raglan edge as before 9 times, at the same time on neck edge decr. 1 stitch every row 5 times. Fasten off. Ret. to rem. stitches, join in yarn at neck edge and finish to correspond with other side in reverse.

SLEEVES: Using No. 9 needles cast on 44, (46: 50: 52) sts and work firmly in rib of K1, P1 for 3 ins. ending on the wrong side of work. Change to No. 6 needles and stocking stitch. Incr. 1 stitch each end of the first row and every 5th row thereafter until 72, (76: 80: 80) sts. For **4th size only** incr. on foll. 3rd row twice, (84 sts.). Cont. until sleeve measures 17 ins. (or length required) ending on a purl row.

Shape Raglans exactly as Back until 14 sts. rem. Cast off on the next row.

TO MAKE UP: Press work on the wrong side. Using a small back stitch sew up the 2 front and right back raglan seams, making a fine straight seam. Press seams.

RIBBED COLLAR: With right side of work facing, using No. 9 needles pick up and knit 14 sts. on sleeve top, 11 sts. down side of neck, 22, (24: 26: 28) sts. along centre neck, 11 sts. up side of neck, 14 sts. on sleeve top, 32, (34: 36: 38) sts. on back neck. (104: 108: 112: 116 sts.) Work 6 rows in rib of K1, P1. Change to No. 8 needles and work 8 rows. Change to No. 6 needles and cont. until 7 ins. altog. Cast off loosely ribwise.

TO FINISH OFF: Sew up rem. raglan seam and flat sew the collar edges tog. Press seam. Making a fine seam sew up side and sleeve seams. Press seams. Turn up a 1 inch wide hem to inside and slip stitch down. Press hem. Fold collar to right side.



5 Sweater with cabled trim (Illustrated on page 12)

MATERIAL:

Mohair:

19, (20: 21) balls

Llama:

18, (19: 20) balls

1 pr. No. 6 and 8 needles. 1 Cable Needle (C.N.).

MEASUREMENTS:

Bust:

32, (34: 36) ins.

Length:

 $24\frac{1}{2}$, $(25:25\frac{1}{4})$ ins.

Sleeves:

17 ins. (all sizes)

TENSION:

5 sts. to 1 inch.

ABBREVIATION:

Tw.2—K2 tog. do not slip off needle, knit into first stitch, slip both stitches off left needle.

C.6— slip next 3 sts. onto C.N., leave to back of work, K3, K3 sts. from C.N.



3 Sweater

(See page 6)



4 Ragian style sweater

(See page 7)

PATTERN

1st row: K4, (7: 2) sts. * Tw.2, K4, C.6, K4, rep. from * to last 6, (9: 4) sts., Tw.2, K4, (7: 2) sts.

2nd row: Purl.

3rd row: K4, (7:2) sts. * Tw.2, K14, rep. from * to last 6, (9:4) sts., Tw.2, K4, (7:2) sts.

Rep. last 2 rows twice.

8th row: As 2nd row.

Rep. these 8 rows for pattern inclusive.

BACK: Using No. 8 needles, cast on 90, (96: 102) sts. and work 10 rows in stocking stitch ending on a purl row. Proceed as follows:—

Next row: K4, (7: 2) sts. * Tw.2, K14, rep., to last 6, (9: 4) sts., Tw.2, K4, (7: 2) sts.

Next row: Purl.

Cont. in pattern inclusive. Cont. until work measures $6\frac{1}{2}$ ins. ending on a purl row. Change to No. 6 needles and stocking stitch. Cont. until work measures 18 ins. (or length required) ending on a purl row.

Shape Armholes: Cast off at beg. of next and every row 3, (4:5) sts. twice, 2 sts. (all sizes) twice, then decr. 1 stitch (all sizes) each end of the next and every 2nd row 4 times and 72, (76:80) sts. rem. Cont. until armholes measure $7\frac{1}{4}$, $(7\frac{3}{4}:8)$ ins. on the straight ending on a purl row.

Shape Shoulders and Neck: Cast off 4, (4:5) sts., K23, (24:24) sts., cast off centre 18, (20:22) sts., knit to end. Cast off for shoulder at beg. of next and alt. rows 4, (4:5) sts., 3, (3:4) times, 6, (7:0) sts. once, at the same time, on neck edge cast off at beg. of every 2nd row 3 sts. 3 times. Ret. to rem. stitches, join in yarn at neck edge and finish to correspond with other side in reverse.

FRONT: Work as Back until armholes measure 5, $(5\frac{1}{2}: 5\frac{3}{4})$ ins. on the straight, ending on a purl row.

Shape Neck: K28, (29: 30) sts., cast off centre 16, (18: 20) sts., knit to end. Decr. 1 stitch at neck edge on the next 4 rows then, every 2nd row until 18, (19: 20) sts. rem. Cont. until armhole measures same as Back armhole ending at armhole edge.

Shape Shoulder: Cast off at beg. of next and alt. rows 4, (4: 5) sts. 3, (3: 4) times, 6, (7: 0) sts. once. Ret. to rem. stitches, join in yarn at neck edge and finish to correspond with other side in reverse.

SLEEVES: Using No. 8 needles cast on 40, (42: 42) sts. and work 10 rows in stocking stitch ending on a purl row. Work as follows:—

Next row: K3, (4: 4) sts., * Tw.2, K14, rep. from * to last 5, (6: 6) sts., Tw.2, K3, (4: 4) sts.

Next row: Purl.

Change to pattern. K3, (4:4) sts., *Tw.2, K4, C.6, K4 * rep. from * to * to last 5, (6:6) sts., Tw.2, K3, (4:4) sts. Cont. as established until work measures $4\frac{1}{2}$ ins., incr. 1 stitch each end of next and every 4th row, and when work measures $6\frac{1}{2}$ ins., change to No. 6 needles and stocking stitch. Cont. until 70, (72:74) sts., and sleeve measures $18\frac{1}{2}$ ins. $(1\frac{1}{2}$ ins. is allowed for hem, or length required) ending on a purl row. Cast off at beg. of next and every row 3 sts. twice, 2 sts. 26 times, 12, (14:16) sts. once.

COLLAR: Using No. 6 needles cast on 144 sts. and work 5 rows in stocking stitch ending on a knit row.

1st row: Purl.

2nd row: K2, * Tw.2, K14, rep. from * to end.

Rep. these 2 rows twice, then 1st row once. Change to pattern. K2, * Tw.2, K4, C.6, K4, rep. from * to end. Cont. as established for pattern until work measures $5\frac{1}{2}$ ins.

Change to No. 8 needles and work in rib of K2, P2 for 3 ins. Cast off ribwise.

TO MAKE UP: Press work on the wrong side. Using a small back stitch sew up shoulder, side and sleeve seams. Press seams. Flat seam collar ends tog. Fold up a hem $1\frac{1}{2}$ ins. wide to inside on sleeves, lower edge and $\frac{3}{4}$ inch wide on collar and slip stitch down. Set sleeves in smoothly. Attach cast off edge of collar to neck edge.



6 Sweater (Illustrated on page 12)

MATERIAL:

Mohair:

20, (21: 22: 23) balls

Llama:

19, (20: 21: 22) balls

1 pr. No. 5 and 9 needles.

MEASUREMENTS:

Bust:

32, (34: 36: 38) ins.

Length:

24 ins. (all sizes)

Sleeves:

17 ins. (all sizes)

TENSION:

9 sts. to $2\frac{1}{2}$ ins.

PATTERN

1st row: (P4, K1) rep. to last 4 sts., P4

2nd row: (K4, P1) rep. to last 4 sts., K4.

Rep. 1st and 2nd rows once.

5th row: (P4, drop next stitch down 4 rows, then knit this stitch tog. with the 4 loops) rep. to last 4 sts., P4.

6th row: As 2nd row.

Rep. these 6 rows for pattern inclusive.

BACK: Using No. 9 needles cast on 84, (89: 94: 99) sts. and work in single rib of K1, P1 for 4 ins. Change to No. 5 needles and patt. inclusive. Cont. until work measures 19 ins. (2 ins. allowed for hem, or length required), ending on the wrong side of work.

Shape Raglans: Cast off 2, (3: 4: 5) sts. at beg. of next 2 rows.

Next row: P1, K2, K2 tog., patt. to last 5 sts., K2 tog. t.b.l., K2, P1.

Next row: K1, P2, patt. to last 3 sts., P2, K1.

Rep. these 2 rows until 30, (33: 36: 37) sts. rem. Work 1 row. Cast off in patt.

FRONT: Work as Back until 44, (47: 50: 51) sts. rem. in raglan shaping.

Shape Neck:

Next row: Patt. 15 sts., cast off centre 14, (17: 20: 21) sts., patt. 15 sts.

Cont. on last 15 sts., shaping raglan as before, and decr. 1 stitch on neck edge on next and every 2nd row thereafter until 2 sts. rem. K2 tog. and fasten off.

Ret. to rem. stitches, join in yarn at neck edge and finish to correspond with other side in reverse.

SLEEVES: Using No. 9 needles cast on 44, (44: 49: 49) sts. and work in rib of K1, P1 for 4 ins. Change to No. 5 needles and patt. inclusive.

Incr. 1 stitch each end of every 8th row thereafter until 66, (68:71:75) sts., taking all incr. stitches into patt. Cont. until sleeve measures 19 ins. (2 inches allowed for double cuff or length required) ending on the wrong side of work. **Shape Raglans** as Back until 12, (12:13:13) sts. rem. Work 1 row. Cast off in patt.

TO MAKE UP: Press work on the wrong side. Sew up the two front and right back raglan seams. Press seams.

NECK BAND: With right side of work facing and using No. 9 needles pick up and knit 12, (12: 13: 13) sts. from left sleeve, 15 sts. each side of front neck, 14, (17: 20: 21) sts. from centre front, 12, (12: 13: 13) sts. from right sleeve, 30, (33: 36: 37) sts. across back neck (98: 104: 112: 114 sts.). Work in rib of K1, P1 for 4 ins. Cast off loosely ribwise.

TO FINISH OFF: Sew up rem. raglan and neck band ends. Press seam. Sew up side, and sleeve seams. Press seams. Fold neck band, sleeve cuffs and lower edge in half to inside and slip stitch down.



7 Cardigan

(Illustrated on Back Cover)

MATERIAL:

Mohair:

17, (18: 19: 20: 21) balls

Llama:

16, (17: 18: 19: 20) balls

1 pr. No. 6 and 7 needles. 6 Buttons.

MEASUREMENTS:

Bust:

32, (34: 36: 38: 40) ins.

Length:

24 ins. (all sizes)

Sleeves:

17 ins. (all sizes)



5 Sweater with cabled trim
(See page 7)

6 Sweater
(See page 11)

TENSION:

5 sts. to 1 inch.

BACK: Using No. 7 needles cast on 80, (84: 88: 92: 96) sts. and work in rib of K2, P2, for 2 ins. ending on the wrong side of work. Change to No. 6 needles and stocking stitch. Incr. 1 stitch each end of the 7th and every 10th row thereafter until 86, (90: 94: 98: 102) sts. Cont. until work measures 14\frac{3}{4} ins. (or length required) ending on a purl row.

Shape Armholes: Decr. 1 stitch each end of the next 7, (9:11:13:15) rows and 72 sts. (all sizes) rem. Incr. 1 stitch each end of every 6th row 4 times to 80 sts. (all sizes). Cont. until armholes measure $7\frac{1}{2}$ ins. on the straight ending on a purl row.

Shape Shoulders: Cast off at beg. of next and every row 3 sts. twice, 4 sts. twice and 66 sts. (all sizes) rem.

Shape for Neck: Cast off 4 sts., knit until 19 sts. on needle, cast off centre 20 sts. (all sizes), knit to end. Cont. on last 23 sts., and shape shoulder by casting off at beg. of next and alt. rows 4 sts. 4 times, at the same time, cast off on neck edge at beg. of every 2nd row 4 sts. once, 3 sts. once. Ret. to rem. stitches, join in yarn at neck edge and finish to correspond with other side in reverse.

LEFT FRONT: Using No. 7 needles cast on 40, (42: 44: 46: 48) sts. and work in rib of K2, P2, for 2 ins. ending on the wrong side of work. Change to No. 6 needles and stocking stitch. Incr. 1 stitch at beg. of the 7th and every 10th row thereafter 3 times altog., and 43, (45: 47: 49: 51) sts. Cont. until work measures 1 inch less than Back to armhole ending at front edge.

Proceed to shape Bust Dart:

Next row: Work to last 3 sts., turn, slip 1 purlwise, work to front edge.

Next row: Work to last 6 sts., turn, slip 1 purlwise, work to front edge.

Cont. in this way working 3 sts. less until 18 sts. rem. unworked at side edge, turn, slip 1 purlwise and work to front edge.

Next row: Work across all stitches. Cont. until **side edge** measures the same as Back to armhole ending at side edge. Shape Armhole: Decr. 1 stitch every row on armhole edge 7, (9:11:13:15) times, (36 sts. all sizes rem.), then, on armhole edge, incr. 1 stitch every 6th row 4 times, at the same time, when armhole measures 5 ins. ending at front edge.

Shape Neck: Cast off at beg. of next and every 2nd row 6 sts. once, 3 sts. once, 2 sts. twice, 1 stitch 4 times, at the same time, when armhole measures $7\frac{1}{2}$ ins. on the straight ending at armhole edge.

Shape Shoulder: Cast off at beg. of next and alt. rows, 3 sts. once, 4 sts. 5 times.

RIGHT FRONT: Work as Left Front in reverse.

SLEEVES: Using No. 7 needles cast on 48 sts. (all sizes) and work in rib of K2, P2 for 2\(\frac{3}{4}\) ins. ending on the wrong side of work. Change to No. 6 needles and stocking stitch. Incr. 1 stitch each end of the 7th and every 6th row thereafter until 70 sts. Cont. until sleeve measures 17 ins. (or length required) ending on a purl row. Cast off at beg. of next and every row 4 sts. twice, 2 sts. 16 times, 3 sts. 4 times, 18 sts. once.

TO MAKE UP: Press work on the wrong side. Using a small back stitch sew up shoulder seams. Press seams.

LEFT FRONT BAND: Using No. 7 needles cast on 11 sts.

1st row: (right side of work) K1, (P1, K1) rep. to end.

2nd row: P1, (K1, P1) rep. to end.

Rep. these 2 rows inclusive. Cont. until Band fits to neck edge on Left Front, ending at inside edge and leave stitches on holder. Neatly attach Band to front edge. Mark off 5 buttonhole positions on Left Front Band, the first one 1 inch from beg., keeping in mind the sixth one is 1 inch in on neck band, with four others evenly spaced between.

RIGHT FRONT BAND: Work as Left Front Band with the addition of 5 buttonholes as marked off on Left Front Band.

To Make Buttonhole: (With right side of work facing).

1st row: Rib 5 sts., cast off 3 sts. rib-wise, work to end.

2nd row: Rib and cast on 3 sts. over cast off 3 sts.

Cont. until exactly the same length as Left Band ending at outside edge. Neatly attach band.

NECK BAND: With right side of work facing, using No. 7 needles begin with Right Front Band K1, (P1, K1) 5 times, pick up and knit 36 sts. on neck edge, 38 sts. across back neck, 36 sts. down neck edge, then, across Left Front Band K1, (P1, K1) 5 times.

Next row: P1, (K1, P1) 5 times, K2, (P2, K2) rep. to last 11 sts., P1, (K1, P1) 5 times.

Next row: K1, (P1, K1) 5 times, P2 tog., (K2, P2) rep. to last 15 sts., K2, P2 tog., K1, (P1, K1) 5 times.

Cont. to decr. 1 stitch every row inside the 11 front band stitches each side and working rem. stitches in double rib. Make the 6th buttonhole in band at 1 inch. Cont. until band measures 2 ins. Cast off ribwise on the next row.

TO FINISH OFF: Sew up side and sleeve seams. Press seams. Set sleeves in smoothly. Sew on 6 buttons.



8 Fancy cabled sweater

(Illustrated on Back Cover)

MATERIAL:

Mohair:

15, (16: 17) balls

Llama:

15, (16: 17) balls

1 pr. No. 6 and 9 needles. 1 set No. 9 needles. 1 cable needle (C.N.).

MEASUREMENTS:

Bust:

32, (34: 36) ins.

Length:

 $23\frac{1}{2}$, (24: 24) ins.

Sleeves:

 $16\frac{1}{2}$ ins. (all sizes)

TENSION:

5 sts. to 1 inch.

ABBREVIATION:

"C8"—Slip next 4 sts. onto C.N., leave at front of work, K4, K4 from C.N.

PATTERN

1st row: K3, (5:7), P2, * Y.F., sl. 1, K1, p.s.s.o., K3, K2 tog., Y.R.N., P2 * twice, K8, P2, rep. from * to * 3 times, K8, P2, rep. from * to * twice, K3, (5:7).

2nd row: P3, (5:7), * K2, P7 * twice, K2, P8, rep. from * to * 3 times, K2, P8, rep. from * to * twice, K2, P3, (5:7).

3rd row: K3, (5:7), P2, * K1, Y.F., sl. 1, K1, p.s.s.o., K1, K2 tog., Y.F., K1, P2 * twice, K8, P2, rep. from * to * 3 times, K8, P2, rep. from * to * twice, K3, (5:7).

4th row: As 2nd row.

5th row: K3, (5:7), P2 * K2, Y.F., sl. 1, K2 tog., p.s.s.o., Y.F., K2, P2 * twice, K8, P2, rep. from * to * 3 times, K8, P2, rep. from * to * twice, K3, (5:7).

6th row: As 2nd row.

Rep. these 6 rows inclusive.

BACK: Using No. 9 needles, cast on 90, (94: 98) sts.

1st row: P1, (K2, P2) rep. to last stitch, K1.

Rep. this row for $2\frac{1}{4}$ ins., incr. 1 stitch at end of last row. (91:95:99 sts.). Change to No. 6 needles and pattern inclusive, at the same time, "C8" in each stocking stitch panel on the 7th row, then every 12th row thereafter inclusive. Cont. until work measures $15\frac{1}{2}$ ins. (or length required) ending on wrong side of work.

Shape Armholes: Cast off 3, (4: 5) sts. at beg. of next 2 rows. Decr. 1 stitch each end of the next and every 2nd row 7 times, 71, (73: 75) sts. rem. Keeping continuity of patt. cont. until armholes measure $7\frac{1}{2}$, (8: 8) ins. ending on wrong side of work.

Shape Shoulders: Cast off at beg. of next and every row 5, (5:6) sts. 6, (6:8) times, 7, (8:0) sts. twice, 27 sts. (all sizes) once.

FRONT: Work as Back until 79, (81: 83) sts. rem. in armhole shaping ending on wrong side of work.

Divide for V Neck:

Next row: Shaping armhole as before, work until 36, (37: 38) sts. on needle, K2 tog., turn. Leave rem. 40, (41: 42) sts. on holder.

Cont. armhole shaping 3 more times, at the same time, decr. 1 stitch on neck edge every 2nd row until 22, (23: 24) sts. rem. Cont. until armhole measures the same as Back armhole ending at armhole edge.

Shape Shoulder: Cast off at beg. of next and alt. rows 5, (5: 6) sts. 3, (3: 4) times, 7, (8: 0) sts. once. Ret. to rem. stitches, slip centre 1 stitch onto holder, join in yarn at neck edge and finish to correspond with other side in reverse.

SLEEVES: Using No. 9 needles cast on 46 sts. (all sizes) and work in rib as for Back for $2\frac{1}{2}$ ins., and evenly incr. 4 sts. on the last row. (50 sts.) Change to No. 6 needles and pattern as follows:—

1st row: K1, P2, (Y.F., sl. 1, K1, p.s.s.o., K3, K2 tog., Y.R.N., P2) twice, K8, P2, (Y.F., sl. 1, K1, p.s.s.o., K3, K2 tog., Y.R.N., P2) twice, K1.

Cont. in pattern as established and "C8" on the 7th row and every 12th row thereafter inclusive. At the same time, incr. 1 stitch each end of the 7th and every 6th row thereafter until 70, (72: 72) sts., taking all incr. stitches into stocking stitch. Cont. until sleeve measures $16\frac{1}{2}$ ins. (or length required) ending on the wrong side of work.

Cast off at beg. of next and every row 3, (4:4) sts. twice, 2 sts. 18 times, 3 sts. 4 times, 16 sts. once.

TO MAKE UP: Press work lightly on the wrong side. Using a small back stitch sew up shoulder seams. Press seams.

NECK BAND: With right side of work facing, and using a set of No. 9 needles, pick up and knit.

1st needle: 48 sts. down left side neck edge.

2nd needle: Knit centre 1 stitch from holder, 48 sts. up right side neck edge.

3rd needle: 30 sts. across back neck. (127 sts.).

Work in rounds of K2, P2 (keeping centre 1 stitch plain), decr. 1 stitch each side of centre 1 stitch on every round for $1\frac{3}{4}$ ins. Work 1 round without shaping. Then incr. 1 stitch each side of centre 1 stitch on every round for $1\frac{3}{4}$ ins. Cast off loosely ribwise.

TO FINISH OFF: Using a small back stitch sew up side and sleeve seams. Press seams. Set sleeves in smoothly. Fold neck band in half to inside and slip stitch down.

ABBREVIATIONS

K. — Knit
P. — Purl
SI. 1 — Slip the stitch
Sts. — Stitches
st. st. — Stocking stitch
p.s.s.o. — Pass slip stitch over
Ret. — Return
Rem — Remain

Rem. — Remain Patt. — Pattern Beg. — Begin
Incr. — Increase
Decr. — Decrease
Tog. — Together
tbl. — Through back of loop
ins. — Inches
Y.R.N. — Yarn round needle
Y.O.N. — Yarn over needle
Y.F. — Yarn forward

THE WASHING OF YOUR HAND KNITS

- 1. To maintain that "good as new" look, wash frequently—overmuch soiling of the garment is difficult to remove in the one wash. Knitteds washed regularly last longer.
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- 7. When quite dry, press garment on the wrong side under a damp cloth using a warm iron.

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